

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

n re application of:) Docket No.: 15829
Quirk et al.) Art Unit: 1743
Serial No.: 10/026,610))
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For: DIAGNOSTIC DEVICE))
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Hon. Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE (A)

An office action dated June 29th was received in this case requiring a response on or before September 29th in order to be timely filed.

I, James B. Robinson, hereby certify that on September 28th 2004, this document is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Mail Stop - Patents Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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